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THE COMMERCE COMMISION

Roads Fighting to Secure Representation.

REFUSES TO LEAVE THE PEN.

German Warships Arrive at Gibralter

Japanese Premier Resigns His Office.

By Wire To THE TELEGRAM.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 27.—Organized railroad men are bringing pressure to bear upon President McKinley to prevent the appointment of Judge Paxton, of Pennsylvania, to suuceed Judge Morrison on the Interstate Commerce Commission. They claim that the law will never be what the law intended until some one familiar with railroad business is made a member of the Commission.

FOND OF THE PENITENTIARY.

By wire to THE TELEGRAM.

Columbus, O., Dec. 27.—Ralph Wintergill, known as the "lifter" in the penitentiary, was given a Christmas pardon by Governor Bushnell. He refuses to leave the penitentiary where he has been for twenty years.

PRIME MINISTER RESIGNS.

By Cable to THE TELEGRAM.

Yokahoma, Dec. 27.—Count Watsonhota, prime minister and minister of finance, has resigned. It is expected that the Marquis of Ito. formerly prime minister, will replace him.

THE SHIPS AT GIBRALTER.

By Cable to THE TELEGRAM.

Gibralter, Dec. 27.—The German warships Deustschland and Gefion, under the command of Prince Henry of Prussia, have arrived here en route to China.

THE DAN-VILLES WON.

Defeated the Wright-villes in a Game of 14 to 0.

In the Christmas day game between the eleven captained by Wright and that captained by Daniel the latter won by a score of 14 to 0. A good crowd saw the game, which was one of the warmest ever seen on the grid-iron here. The Dan-villes had the better of the rushing and running from the beginning.

The line up was:

Dan-villes		Wright-villes
Tate	R. E.	E. Gilmer.
Turner	R. T.	Boycott.
McIver	R. G.	Winslow.
Smith	C.	Boone.
Buchanan	L. G.	Horry.
Lewis	L. E.	Reynolds.
John Tate	Q. B.	J. Schench.
Douglas	H. H. B.	J. Causey.
Wharton	L. H. B.	N. Schench.
G. Daniel	F. B.	Caldwell.

A fresh drummer insisted on adding to the gayety by throwing cannon crackers among the players, and, being twice warned to desist, was knocked down by the team and escorted from the grounds. He returned later, apologized, and behaved as a gentleman for the rest of the game.

After the game an elegant banquet was given the team at the Central Cafe, served in Grady's best style.

More About the Refreshments.

Communicated.

Mrs. Whitsett, with her assistants, is preparing a nice bill of fare for the Carnival Wednesday and Thursday evenings. It was at first thought that an elaborate course would be served, but upon second thought it was decided to have oysters, with the usual accompaniments, and ice cream and cake. These will be served by about twenty-five or thirty young ladies, some of whom, if not all, will be arrayed in fancy costumes, making a very interesting scene.

The same cook who prepared the refreshments for the recent chrysanthemum show has been engaged for this occasion, and it is needless to say that his work will be very satisfactory to all.

Threw Cash Box at the Highwayman.

Sayville, L. I., Dec. 26.—Scudder Snedecor, a Bayport storekeeper, was held up by a highwayman with a revolver, in front of his house last night. He had with him his cash box containing several hundred dollars. He threw this at the head of the highwayman, who ran away. Snedecor says he recognized the man as Edward Gilbert, a neighbor. Policemen went to Gilbert's house today, but he had gone away, leaving no clue to his whereabouts.

NOTES FROM HIGH POINT.

The Local News from Our Neighbor Briefly Told.

TELEGRAM BUREAU,
HIGH POINT, N. C., Dec. 27, '97.

Prof. Raper, of G. F. C., who has been spending Christmas at his home near here, returned to Greensboro this morning.

W. R. Stone, who has been visiting the family of W. R. Richardson left this morning for home, accompanied by his cousins, Misses Merrie and Mamie Richardson.

Christmas passed off very quietly, there being very little drunkenness or disorderly conduct.

The young people are looking forward with much pleasure to the Lyceum reception to be given at Jarrell's hall tomorrow night.

Mrs. Dr. D. A Stanton and daughter left Saturday for Charlotte to visit her niece, Mrs. W. A. Ring.

Misses Essie Thompson and Etta Alred, of Greensboro, are visiting Mrs. W. E. Alred, on Washington street.

Miss Hattie Hartsell, who has been the efficient stenographer for the Eagle Furniture company, left for her home last week.

Miss Lillie White, of Belvidere, is visiting the family of J. R. Parker, on South Main street.

Ed. Smith, of Winston, is spending the day in the city.

J. L. Parrish left this morning for Greensboro.

F. M. Barbee left for Hickory Sunday morning where he will spend a few days.

Clerk Ed. Ragan spent Christmas at his home near here.

Miss Alice Denny, of Greensboro, has been spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Denny.

W. J. Armfield left this morning for his post of duty in Asheboro.

The colored people are holding a fair at the M. E. church for the benefit of the new Methodist church here.

D. L. Payne came in from Lexington last night.

Chas. Hauser, of the National Bank of Greensboro, spent Christmas in the city.

Tomorrow Night.

It is customary to tell our readers of the early local production of any theatrical piece soon to be seen on our stage. Our play-goers are soon to have an opportunity of seeing one of the most genuinely comical comedies which has claimed public attention for years. In speaking of it in advance, it is difficult for us to refrain from letting the cat out of the bag, and relating in detail the entire story of the play. It is really too good to keep. The makeup of the playwright whose pen is responsible for "Lost—A Bride" is a mystery to us. For one man to have put together into one comedy so many laughable incidents seems almost impossible. Even our professional joker, (we shouldn't hardly print this, but) he is a very jealous man, and rarely laughs at other people's funnycisms—he laughed until his sides ached when some extracts from "Lost—A Bride" were shown him by the company's advance agent. He had to acknowledge that "Lost—A Bride" was the surest cure for the blues he had ever come across.

What preparations for curing the unavoidable cases of hysterics resulting from laughter, Manager Blackburn of the Academy of music is going to make for the evening of December 28th, when this farcical comedy "Lost—A Bride" will be produced at his playhouse, we do not know, but something should be done in that line.

Waited 26 Years.

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 26—A new married couple, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Lee, left today for Ottawa, Ill. The bride, who was Miss Ellen E. Massey, waited 26 years for Lee to Marry her, and the patient loyalty was rewarded only this week.

For some reason their engagement was broken a quarter of a century ago, and Lee went to Arizona. He never wrote home.

Miss Massey introduced herself to Lee's family and consoled his grieving mother.

Lee recently returned to Ottawa and learned from his mother that his old sweetheart was living here. He found her in the composing room of the Globe-Democrat, where she was employed.

Masonic Notice.

Special communication of Greensboro Lodge No. 76 A. F. & M. this evening at 7:30, for installation of officers.

W. T. Gayle, Secretary,
Orlo Epps, W. M.

PRESIDENT OF UNION PACIFIC

The Place Goes to Horace G. Burt, of Chicago

BIG WHOLESALE GROCERY BURNS

A Steamer Overdue Comes Into Port. New York City Having the Snow Cleaned from Her Sidewalks.

By Wire to THE TELEGRAM.

New York Dec. 27.

Horace G. Burt, president and third vice-president of the Chicago and Northwestern railway has been named for the presidency of the Union Pacific. Burt's election is expected to fully carry into effect the policy determined upon by the reorganization committee when it was hoped that S. H. H. Clark would be able to continue in the management.

A MORNING BLAZE.

By Wire to THE TELEGRAM.

Charleston, W. Va., Dec. 27.

The large whole sale grocery house of Lewis Hubbord and company burned this morning. The loss was $120,000 and the insurance $80,000.

THE SHIP THAT RETURNED.

By Wire to THE TELEGRAM.

New York Dec. 27.

The steamer LiAnthony Abbey arrived today from Dunkirk, Scotland. She was a week overdue and the agent had given wrap. She reports a hard battle with head winds and gales.

THE BEAUTIFUL SNOW.

By Wire to THE TELEGRAM.

New Nork Dec. 27.

Six thousand men are scattered over the city today cleaning off snow from the streets. It will cost $50,000 to remove it. Thirty-five hundred carts are being used.

Will Serve at the Carnival.

The following young ladies have obligingly agreed to serve at the refreshment tables during the Carnival Wednesday and Thursday evenings, and Mrs. Whitsett especially requests them to meet her in the Academy of Music Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock. Will they kindly bear this in mind, as the meeting is important:

Misses Norwood, Stewart, Bertha Wheeler, Helen Wheeler, Lola Carraway, Nan Wood, Josie Wood, Pearl Balsley, Lizzie Balsley, Lillian Staples, Virginia Bernard, Nellie Poole, Irma Mendenhall, Janie Ganey, Margaret DeButts, Sarah DeButts, Carrie McNairy, Julia Pearce, Mary Wolfe, Ada Thomas, Mary Lindsay, Mary Lou Brodrick, Mary Goolsby, Minnie Lyon, Marjorie Lyon, Dora Bevill, Jessie Scott, Nellie Merriman, Bessie Merriman, Lettie Shober, Virginia Shober, Mary Cator, Lola Reid.

Meeting Postponed.

The meeting of the Travelers Protective Association which was published for tonight has been postponed until tomorrow night. All members of the association here should be present. The meeting will be held in the office of the Simpson-Shields Shoe Company.

Two Brothers Killed by a Train.

Greensville, Pa., Dec. 25.—James and Samuel Lyttle were killed on the Erie Railroad today, near Atlantic. The brothers were driving to a relative's house to spend Christmas. While they were crossing the track a west-bound train came around a curve and struck their rig broadside. Both men were hurled high in the air and when picked up were dead. Samuel's body was thrown ahead of the train, and was run over and horribly mutilated.

Mrs. Piper Dead.

Mrs. Ann Piper, the mother of Mrs. Millard Rankin, died of pneumonia, at her home on Vance street, Saturday night at 8:30 o'clock, aged about 62 years. The remains were carried to McLeansville on the noon train today and from there to Bethel church where the interment was made. The funeral was conducted by Rev. J. E. Gay from the residence at 10 o'clock this morning. Mr. Gay and other friends accompanied the remains to the last resting place.

We extend condolence to the bereaved relatives.

To Cure a Cold in One Day.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c.

TWO OF THE RABBITS DEAD.

One Died of Pnuemonia and One of Blood Poisoning.

Two of the rabbits inoculated by Drs. Brooks and Turner at Astly-Cooper hospital with the spinal column of the dog suspected of having rabies, died on Friday night. One of them died with pyænia, a species of blood poisoning. Abscesses were found to have formed on its liver, lungs and flanks. The other died of pneumonia. It is well known to the medical fraternity that meningitis and pneumonia are caused by the same micro-organism. The only difference is that in one case it attacks the lungs and in the other the spinal column. The fact, therefore, that one of the rabbits should have died of meningitis gives color to the hypothesis that the dog may have been suffering from meningitis rather than rabies. A Telegram reporter appeared before the State Veterinary Association in session at the McAdoo, and, after hearing the facts the surgeons agreed that the dog may have had meningitis so far as the symptoms were concerned.

It is well known that foreign substances in the stomach of a dog result sometimes in meningitis. The animal suffering with the latter disease will also attack people. One of the surgeons reported a case of meningitis in a dog in this city caused by cockleburs in the stomach. The case cannot be settled until the other rabbits have been observed further.

THE CHRISTMAS JAG.

Was Ended on a Cruel Barbed Wire Fence.

There are funny things and things that are not funny. Some people find it to be very funny getting drunk, but the man who finds it funny getting sober has never been found. And there are different ways of getting sober. Perhaps the best way is to go to Keeley and take the treatment.

Then there is the old-fashioned way of tapering off, which means that you will stay drunk longer than you anticipated. But in this instance the inebriated victim ended up his "holiday jag" hanging on a barbed wire fence.

A. L. Wyrick, one of the men who found Henry Jackson after he was struck by a train up above the coal chute Thursday night, or rather very early Friday morning before day when going home from the city was out again Friday night, and the story goes that he in some unaccountable(?) way, became involved in a difficulty with a barbed wire fence in on R. P. Gorrell's place.

And it is further related that the fence in some way got the best of the tussle and fastening its unrelenting grip on Mr. Wyrick, held him fast there until morning, when he was found and released by friends who happened to pass that way.

His flesh was considerably torn but his injures are not serious. He will probably have better sense than to tackle a barbed wire fence next time.

Wilsons Lose.

In the Supreme Court last week the decision in the Railroad Commissioners' case was adverse to the Wilsons. Judge Douglas, of this city, handed down the opinion which was able and lengthy. Chief Justice Faircloth dissented and granted a writ of error on which the case will go to the Supreme Court of the United States.

Give Away 3,000 Rabbits.

Denver, Col., Dec. 25—Parson Thos. Uzzell distributed 3,000 jack rabbits among the poor people who applied for them today. These rabbits were shot in the annual hunt at Lamar, Col. Arrangements are being made to feed 2,000 people at the annual Christmas dinner, at the Uzzell tabernacle next Tuesday.

DIVORCED FROM JUDGE BANKS.

Wife of a Connecticut Jurist Obtains a Divorce in Chicago.

Chicago, Dec. 25.—Judge Ewing this morning granted a divorce to Jennie W. Banks, who was the young wife of Judge Elmore S. Banks, who now presides in the Probate Court of Fairfield, Conn. The alleged cause of the divorce was cruelty on the part of the defendant. It is asserted that jealously on the part of the judge was the direct cause of the difficulties which have led to a legal separation. The complainant is a dressmaker residing on Indiana avenue.

Judge Banks, it is said, is many years her senior. They were married July 11, 1889, and lived together until July, 1896, when the complainant left her husband.

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TROUBLE IN THE FAR EAST

England and Japan Going After Russia.

POSITION OF UNITED STATES.

Russia Must Keep Her Hands Off Korea—Senator Morgan Talks on the Situation.

By Cable to THE TELEGRAM.

London, Dec. 27.—Englands's exact position in the eastern crisis, hitherto unknown to the general public, was revealed in the announcement of her warlike camp on the coast of Corea. Seventeen ships of war comprising a great part of the British fleet is lying off Chenuelpo and its anti-Russian demonstrations will have the support of the Japanese fleet of thirty ships. The immediate purpose of this demonstration is to support the British Consul's protest, amounting to an ultimatum against the King of Corea practically yielding the government of that country to the hands of the Russian minister.

POSITION OE THIS GOVERNMENT.

By Wire to THE TELEGRAM

Washington, D. C., Dec. 27.—Senator Morgan, of Alabama, a member of the Foreign Relation's Committee, said today that it would be impossible under existing conditions for the United States to look on as a passive spectator, should the European nations decide to carve up China.

THE MARKETS.

Closing Quotations by Private Wire to W. A. Porterfield & Co.

W. A. Porterfield & Co., commission brokers, furnish us with the following closing quotations of the New York Stock exchange and the Chicago Board of Trade:

The following are the closing quotations of the New York Stock Exchange:

NEW YORK, Dec. 27, 1897.

American tobacco	88½
Atch., Top. & Santa Fe	30½
B. and O.	
C. and O.	22½
Chic., Bur. and Quincy	100
Chic. Gas	96½
Del., Lack. and Western	
Delaware and Hudson	113
Am. spirits	
Dist'r and cattle feed	
Erie	
General Electric	33½
Jersey Central	97½
Louisville and Nashville	56½
Lake Shore	
Manhattan Elevated	111½
Missouri and Pacific	34½
Northwestern	121½
Northern Pacific Pr	59½
National Lead	
New York Central	106½
Pacific Mail	
Reading	23
Rock Island	91½
Southern Railway	
Southern Railway Pr	32½
St. Paul	95½
Sugar Trust	129½
Tenn. Coal & Iron	26½
Texas Pacific	
U. S. Leather Preferred	
Western Union Tel	90½
Wabash Preferred	

The following are the closing quotations of the Chicago Board of Trade:

CHICAGO, Dec. 27, 1897.

Wheat, Jan	
" May	94
" July	
Corn, Dec	
" Sept	
" Oct	
" May	30½
" July	
Oats, Sept	
" Dec	
" May	23½
Pork, Dec	
" Jan	870
" May	892
Lard, Dec	
" Jan	455
" May	490
Ribs, Dec	
" Jan	440
" May	455
Cotton, Sept	@
" Oct	@
" Nov	@
" Dec	
" Jan	@
" Feb	
" March	@
" April	
" May	@
" July	@
" August	@
Spot cotton	

Puts, 93⅛@; Calls, 94⅛; Curb 94

CHRISTMAS ADVICE

may be wasted, as it is only the wise that profit by other people's experience, but we will give it for what it is worth. You will get more real satisfaction, comfort and wear out of one suit of custom tailor-made clothing than you will out of twenty ready-made suits. Why not? What is a tailor for? To fit every curve, remedy every defect of figure, have your collar lay just so, and give you the style of a gentleman. We do it every time.

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Christmas Week.

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Facts Worth Studying.

If the Southern Stock-Mutual pays no larger dividends than the 20 per cent. now paid, and the business increases during the next seven years in the same ratio it has increased during the last three years, the actual saving for the ten years to policy-holders in North and South Carolina will be $194,822.00, and to the policy-holders in Greensboro alone, $26,237.00. Besides this the Company's assets (reinsurance reserve and surplus) represented by still larger figures will be kept at home and invested in the state. What better investment can the public make than by upholding an institution like this?

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MONDAY, DEC. 27, 1897.

You can get the telegraphic news twelve hours earlier in THE TELEGRAM than in any paper that gets into Greensboro, and for four dollars a year less.

WAS IT MARCUS?

Frank L. Stanton wrote in yesterday's Atlanta Constitution:

"At an auction sale in Cleveland, Ohio, the poems of Thomas Bailey Aldrich, Edgar Fawcett, Clinton Scollard, Oliver Wendell Holmes and his aunt, Mary J. Holmes, brought collectively the handsome sum of 25 cents. The poet, S. E. Kiser, interviewed the purchaser, saying that he was glad that there was one man in the crowd who appreciated literature. But the latter coolly informed him that he had merely bought the books because they were cheaper than coal!

And this, too, in the home town of Marcus A. Hanna, the man of such irreproachable taste, political and otherwise. Could this have been Marcus A. himself? Did he fear that so many warm poems thrown upon the world for a song would injure the coal market? Is not this another proof of the far-seeing sagacity that marks Mark as the fittest man to scotch for the McKinley wave when it shows retrogressive tendencies? By all the tokens it should be Mark. It is impossible to think of him as estimating poetry in any other fashion than by the pound. He is also the only man one could call to mind who would be proud of that fact. Mark, let it be.

A San Francisco dispatch of yesterday says:

"Charles W. Richards, a mechanical expert of Cleves, Ohio, has arrived from Japan, where he has been superintending the construction of a wire nail plant costing $250,000 at Tokio. The capacity of the works is 500 kegs of nails and 1,000 wooden kegs daily.

"As skilled labor in Japan is paid but 35 cents a day as against $1.50 in this country, the output of the factory will cause a corresponding reduction in the demand for the American product."

This is another indication that in the commercial even more than in the political world Japan is a force that must be reckoned with hereafter. The Jap is quick, emulative, inventive and industrious and will hardly be slower to adopt western business methods than he was western dress, arms and political and social economy. The world will do well to keep its eyes on Japan.

It is not exactly proper to find fault with gifts, but it is hard not ask if the weather bureau really did the best it could.

There is a tinge of sour grapes about English assurances that after all Kiao Chou Bay is almost worthless as a harbor.

Phillip D. Armour is taking stock in a phonograph factory. Phillip D. is becoming too æsthetic for pork, and wheat is not in his line.

As Smithers ascended the steps he caught sight of Brown around the corner.—Atlanta Constitution.

Ah, indeed, and were Smithers' eyes set on the end of flexible stalks?

Although Explorers Peary and Jackson have formed identical plans for reaching the north pole, it is to be hoped they will not simultaneously intrude on the privacy of that exclusive staff.

The way in which warships are being sent to China, Hayti and other places indicates a belated intention on the part of this government to regain some of the respect of the world lost by its supineness in the Cuban disgrace.

A FIREMAN'S SELF-SACRIFICE.

An Incident of the Holidays in New York.

New York, Dec. 25.—Jas. F. Colman an engine driver in the fire department, sacrificed his own life today, rather than run down a woman and a little girl, who were transfixed with fright and were unable to get out of his way. Colman, to avoid hitting them, gave the engine a sharp turn, and it toppled over with the driver beneath it, killing him almost instantly. The child was carrying a Christmas doll and Colman had just reported for duty after having been present at the Christmas celebration of his own children.

HE DEMANDS HIS MERMAID.

St. Louis, Dec. 26.—Sergeant King, of the Fourth district police station, was startled this afternoon by an excited young man who rushed into his office and demanded to see his mermaid. A moment later a sobbing woman entered and explained that the young man, her son, was demented. She said he had become crazed at the Olympic Theater two weeks ago while watching the presentation of "The Whirl of the Town." The plot of the play is based on the adventures of a mermaid. Since then the young man has been constantly seeking a mermaid, and his family locked him up, but he escaped today. His mother took him home and declined to give her name.

LOWER WAGES.

Decision to Cut Down the Pay of 15,000 Operators January 17.

Lowell, Mass., Dec. 25.—The treasurers of the Lowell cotton mills, at a meeting, voted to reduce the wages of their employees on and after January 17th.

The causes of the reduction are the same as those which led the manufacturers in Manchester, Suncook, N. H., and other places to lower the wage scale. About 15,000 operatives in this city will be effected.

The mills in this city include the Tremont and Suffolk, Boott, Merrimac, Massachusetts, Hamilton, Appleton and Lawrence.

The mill men say they regret being obliged to cut wages, but they say there was no other course in view of the prevailing conditions.

A meeting of the operatives will be held to consider the cut, but it is not expected that any action looking toward a strike will be taken.

The Superior Court declares that the law requiring all practicing physicians to stand an examination and have license is constitutional and just.

Free Pills.

Send your address to H. E. Bucklen & Co., Chicago, and get a free sample box of Dr. King's New Life Pills. A trial will convince you of their merits. These pills are easy in action and are particularls effective in the cure of constipation and sick headache. For malaria and liver troubles they have been proved invaluable. They are guaranteed to be perfectly free from every deleterious substance and to be purely vegetable. They do not weaken by their action, but by giving tone to stomach and bowels greatly invigorate the system. Regular size 25c per box. Sold by C. E. Holton, druggist.

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BIG Moquette and Smyrna Rugs, suitable for Chriftmas gifts at Thacker & Brockmann's.

COAL Vases, Brass Fenders, Fire sets, Pokers, Tongs, in fact all fire place goods at McClamroch Bros. d-18

WE have a few good second hand sewing machines to be sold at low prices before the holidays. Wingate Bros. d 18

YOU can't get a nicer or more serviceable present for Christmas than a Rotary Standard. Wingate Brothers. d 18

MY THROUGHBRED JERSEY Bull will stand for service during the season of '97-'98 at the stable near the Finishing Mill.
n22-tf J. W. LINDAU.

HANDSOME EMBOSSED Society cards for the following societies: K. of P., I. O. O. F. and Jr. O. U. A. M. Call and have your address printed on some. Prices moderate. Jos. J. Stone, Printer. Oct. 9. tf

MEN'S embroidered slippers, new lot 75c. and $1, just opened. Finer grades $1.25 and $1.50, at Thacker & Brockmann's. d 23

BAY STATE rubber shoes in men's, women's, children's and infant's sizes, at Thacker & Brockmann's. d23

GET a pair for baby! We have a very pretty line of infant's soft sole shoes in pink, tan, light blue and black, at 25 cts. a pair. Thacker & Bockmann. d 23

WANTED—4,000 CHILDREN to buy candy at 5c per pound at H. L. Stribling's, 217 S. Elm St. n17tf

BARGAINS FOR THIS WEEK.—Go to Mrs. Cator & Co. for cheap Sailors, Walking Hats, Tam O'Shanters and Ribbon Remnants.

TWO FOOTBALL PLAYERS OF Greensboro were bruised up considerably and used Goose Grease Liniment with splendid results. n-23.

TELLER hand-made cigars received today. Howard Gardner, Druggist, corner opposite postoffice. d 17

WHEN YOU WANT your harness repaired in good order call on McLellan at Thompson & Allred's shoe shop, No. 500 South Elm street. d17-1w

STOCKHOLDER'S MEETING—The annual meeting of the Stockholders of the Greensboro National Bank will be held at their banking house Wednesday, January 12th, 1898, at 1 o'clock p. m. A. H. ALDERMAN,
d13-1mo Cashier.

A LARGE STOCK of CHINAWARE Glassware, Fine Lamps at E. M. Caldcleugh & Bro. o-23-tf.

Save Your Hair.

Whitfield & Williams are fully prepared to treat your hair for dandruff, and stop it from falling out, with The

German Hair Tonic,

the most excellent tonic on the market. We make a specialty of ladies' and children's work. We invite your attention to the superior quality of our shaves, hair cuts and shampoos.

Yours for patronage,

Whitfield & Williams,

EXPERT BARBERS.
506½ So. Elm St. oppo. water tower.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC

Tuesday, Dec. 28

One Night only.

The New Farcical Comedy.

'Lost--A Bride.'

The Much Praised Laughing Success Of The Season.

A Strictly Refined Up-To Date Comedy,,

With Fascinating Musical Members Of Specialties.

Presented By a Genuine First-Class Company.

Seats now on sale at Gardner's Drug Store. Prices 50 and 75 cents. Children, 25 cents.

I Wish to Express My Thanks

To My Many Friends and Customers

For Their Liberal Patronage

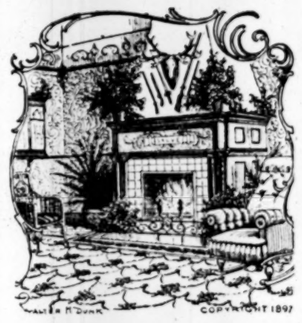
This Year and must say that my Expectations were more than realized.

Wishing You a Happy New Year,

I Remain Very Respectfully,

L. B. LINDAU.

The Sputtering Yule Log



is all well enough to add to your Christmas decorations as a reminder of "ye olden time," when your house is heated by a good furnace, But for solid comfort, or a good, steady fire to roast your Christmas turkey and make the feast a culinary triumph, you want our high-grade, well-screened coal. Order now and it will insure you having a good dinner.

Greensboro Ice and Coal Co.

Phone 58.

Christmas Bargains.

1 piece 54 inch Grey Suiting, for tailor-made dresses, boys overcoats and misses jackets. All wool goods, reduced from 90c to 65c per yard.
New all wool dress goods in fancy mixtures and checks, 25c yard.
All Linen Embroidered Handkerchiefs, 25 cents each.
All Linen Fine Embroidered Handkerchiefs, 50 cents each.
35 dozen Richly Embroidered Handkerchiefs, 10 cents.
White Silk Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, 50 and 75 cents.
Bright Colored Windsor Ties, 25 cents each.
Special Bargains in Ladies Jackets.
Make your Christmas Gift useful as well as ornamental by buying from

The Cox-Ferree Dry Goods Company.

A GOOD COMFORTABLE BED

is not only a luxury but a necessity, where a person spends a third of their natural life. The only difficulty with our beds and bedding is that you want to stay there all the time. Our handsome chamber suites, chiffoniers, dressing tables, wardrobes, brass beds, etc., we are selling at such prices that no one need to be without them.

The York Furniture Co.,
330 South Elm Street.

Greensboro Sash and Blind Co.,

MANUFACTURERS OF

Doors, Sash, Blinds, Moulding, Brackets,

And Dealers in All Kinds of Pine Lumber.

202 Lewis Street, GREENSBORO, N. C.

WOOD!!

We are prepared to furnish you any kind of fire or stove wood, and in any quantity. We have now on hand

30 cords dry pine stove wood
30 cords dry oak stove wood
100 cords dry 2-foot wood

Give us a call before buying your winter wood. We can save you money.

Pitts & Bain.

Successors to Wm. Love.
Phone 99.

DR. J. H. WHEELER,
Dentist,
Greensboro, N. C.

Office first door south of postoffice.

O. D. BOYCOTT,

Agent for

Luray Lime Co.,
Aldrid Stone Co.,

Senseman & Brickenstein Galvanized Iron Cornices,

Agent for COTTAGE HEATER, for either wood or coal.

GREENSBORO, N. C.

OUR CHRISTMAS GREETING

we extend to all our patrons, with all the compliments of the season. We have tried to please them all, and know we must have succeeded by the permanency of their patronage and the increase in our laundry work. If we can't do it no one in North Carolina can, as our methods are perfect, our laundry work artistic and beautiful, and our service is the best. We respectfully request our patrons to send in their work for Christmas week not later than Wednesday, Dec. 22.

The Steam Laundry,
John M. Dick, Proprietor.

J. A. BYRD,
First-Class Barber

I run three chairs and guarantee satisfaction. Give me a call.

311 McADOO HOUSE.

Norfolk & Western Railway.

Short and Quick Line to the West, Texas and California, Oregon Washington and Alaska.

Write for rates and all information, to
M. F. BRAGG, Trav. Pass. Agt., Roanoke, Va.,
E. B. KEARNS, Agent, Winston-Salem N. C.
or to W. B. BEVILL, General Passenger Agent, Roanoke, Va.

W. B. BEACHAM,
Architect and Builder,

Plans and Specifications Furnished on Application.

Office: Odd Fellows' Building up stairs, room 5

Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley R'lway.

JOHN GILL, Receiver

Schedule in Effect Nov. 28th, 1897.

NORTHBOUND	No. 2 Daily
Leave Wilmington	9 00 am
Arrive Fayetteville	12 10 pm
Leave Fayetteville	12 22 "
Leave Fayetteville Junction	12 27 "
Leave Sanford	1 48 "
Leave Climax	3 47 "
Arrive Greensboro	4 20 "
Leave Greensboro	4 30 "
Leave Stokesdale	5 17 "
Leave Walnut Cove	5 47 "
Leave Rural Hall	6 15 "
Arrive Mt. Airy	7 45 "

SOUTHBOUND	No 1 Daily
Leave Mt. Airy	8 40 am
Leave Rural Hall	10 04 "
Leave Walnut Cove	10 33 "
Leave Stokesdale	11 06 "
Arrive Greensboro	11 55 "
Leave Greensboro	12 15 pm
Leave Climax	12 43 "
Leave Sanford	2 36 "
Leave Fayetteville Junction	3 55 "
Arrive Fayetteville	4 00 "
Leave Fayetteville	4 10 "
Arrive Wilmington	7 20 "

NORTHBOUND	No 4 Daily
Leave Bennettsville	8 00 am
Arrive Maxton	9 02 "
Leave Maxton	9 07 "
Leave Red Springs	9 35 "
Leave Hope Mills	10 20 "
Arrive Fayetteville	10 40 "

SOUTHBOUND.	No 3 Daily
Leave Fayetteville	4 50 pm
Leave Hope Mills	5 07 "
Leave Red Springs	5 43 "
Arrive Maxton	6 11 "
Leave Maxton	6 15 "
Arrive Bennettsville	7 15 "

NORTHBOUND.	No 16 Mixed Daily ex Sunday
Leave Ramseur	6 40 am
Leave Climax	8 25 "
Arrive Greensboro	9 17 "
Leave Greensboro	9 35 "
Leave Stokesdale	11 07 "
Arrive Madison	11 55 "

SOUTHBOUND.	No 15 Mixed Daily ex Sunday
Leave Madison	12 35 pm
Leave Stokesdale	1 25 "
Arrive Greensboro	2 05 "
Leave Greensboro	3 15 "
Leave Climax	4 25 "
Arrive Ramseur	6 10 "

CONNECTIONS

at Fayetteville with Atlantic Coast Line, at Maxton with the Carolina Central Railroad, at Red Springs with the Red Springs and Bowmore Railroad, at Sanford with the Seaboard Air Line, at Gulf with the Durham and Charlotte Railroad, at Greensboro with the Southern Railway Company, at Walnut Cove with the Norfolk and Western Railway.

J. W. FRY, Gen. Manager. W. E. KYLE, Gen. Pass. Agt.

Southern Railway.

RICHMOND AND DANVILLE AND NORTH CAROLINA DIVISIONS

In Effect July 1st, 1897.

This condensed schedule is published as information, and is subject to change without notice to the public.

TRAINS LEAVE GREENSBORO.

7.37 p m—No. 35 daily for Atlanta and Charlotte Air Line division and all points South and Southwest. Carries through Pullman drawing-room buffet sleepers between New York, Washington, Atlanta, Birmingham and Galveston.

7.05 a m—No. 37 daily. Washington and Southwestern Vestibuled limited for Atlanta, Birmingham, Memphis, Montgomery, Mobile and New Orleans and all points South and Southwest. Through Pullman sleeper New York to New Orleans and New York to Memphis dining car; vestibuled coach between Washington and Atlanta; Pullman tourist car for San Francisco Sundays.

8.50 a m—No. 8 daily for Richmond and Norfolk; connect at Danville for Washington and points North.

7.32 a m—No. 11 daily for Atlanta and all points South; solid train Richmond to Atlanta; Pullman sleeping car Danville to Hot Springs.

12.10 p m—No. 16 daily for Washington, Richmond, Raleigh and all points North; carries Pullman drawing-room buffet sleeper Jacksonville to New York; Birmingham to New York; Pullman tourist car from San Francisco Thursdays.

10.44 p m—No. 38 daily for Washington and Southwestern vestibuled, limited, for Washington and all points North; Through Pullman car Memphis to New York; New Orleans to New York; Tampa to New York; also car-vestibuled coach and dining car.

9.52 p m—No. 12 daily for Richmond and all points North; carries Pullman sleeping car from Hot Springs to Danville; connects at Greensboro with train carrying Pullman car for Raleigh.

From Raleigh—No. 15 passenger arrives 6.30 p m; No. 35 passenger arrives 11.55 a m; No. 11 passnger arrives 6.55 a m.

For Raleigh—No. 35 passenger leaves 12.10 p m; No. 16 passenger leaves 8.50 a m; No. 12 passenger leaves 1.30 a m.

W. N. C. Division—No. 107 passenger leaves Greensboro 12.20 p m; arrives at Winston-Salem 1.30 p m daily except Sunday. No. 105 leaves Greensboro 8.50 a m daily, arrives at Winston-Salem 9.50 a m, arriving at Wilkesboro 1.10 p m; train No. 7 runs daily except Sunday; No. 109 leaves Greensboro 7.50 p m, arriving at Winston-Salem 8.50 p m; No. 110 leaves Wilkesboro daily except Sunday at 2.05 p m, arriving at Winston-Salem 5.15 p m, arriving at Greensboro 6.20 p m; No. 108 leaves Winston-Salem 10.30 a m daily except Sunday, arriving at Greensboro 11.45 a m; No. 106 leaves Winston-Salem 6.20 a m, arriving Greensboro 7.20 a m.

7.05 a m, 7.32 a m, 6.48 p m, 7.37 p m, 2.10 p m } FROM THE NORTH.

8.50 a m, 12.05 p m, 9.45 p m, 10.40 p m } FROM THE SOUTH.

6.35 p m, 11.55 a m, 6.55 a m } FROM RALEIGH.

All freight trains carry passengers.

W. A. TURK, Gen. Pas. Agt., Washington, D. C.
JOHN M. CULP, Traffic Manager.
W. H. GREEN, Gen. Supt. Washington
S. H. HARDWICK, Ass't. Gen. Pass. Agt., Atlanta, Ga.
R. L. VERNON, Trav. Pass. Agt., 18 E. Trade St., Charlotte, N. C

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Give Me a Chance. Best of References.

R. E. ANDREWS.

West Schenck Street.

Bill of Fare

—AT THE—

South Greensboro Market

418 South Asheboro.

3 lbs choice beef steak, 25c.
Juicy Pork, 10c lb
Lamb, 10c lb
Rabbits, 10c each.
Good Cheese, 15c lb.

From Pigs Feet up, all kinds of Country Produce at Lowest Cash Prices.

Orders will be called for and goods delivered anywhere in the city.

Phone G. W. Kestler & Son, druggists.

H. P. CLARIDA, Manager.

A Thousand Thanks

To the thousands of customers who patronized us so liberally not only for their Christmas shopping, but for the entire year.

During the "rush" we naturally may have made some mistakes, if so we will cheerfully correct them.

Respectfully Your Friends,

J. W. Scott & Co.

There is Only One

Waterman's Ideal Fountain Pen.

There are **Waterman's** pens, but be sure you get the Genuine.—**L. E. Waterman's Pen** is the Genuine

Wharton Bros.

Book Sellers and Stationers.

Going To Build?

If you are, consult us on material and prices. We deal in all kinds of rough and dressed lumber.

A complete line of frames, shutters, etc.

Our Specialty

is hard wood work and carving for interior decorations.

See our work and get our prices.

Cape Fear Manufacturing Co.,

Greensboro, N. C.

OUR LIVE BUSINESS MEN.

J L Vawter, the great house mover and raiser.
W B Allen proprietor Allen House.
South Side Pharmacy, drugs
Harry C Martin, insurance
Whitfield & Williams, barbers
E W Hatchett, tailor
H P Clarida, South Greensboro market
Shaw & Scales, lawyers
George Jackson, painter
Wharton Bros, bookstore
Fordham & Ball, racket store
Johnson & Dorsett, shoes and dress goods.
C. M. Vanstory & Co., up-to-date clothiers.
John M. Dick, steam laundry.
P. D. Satchwell, lawyer.
Southern Varnish Co., furniture.
Wharton & McAlister, insurance.
E. D. Golden, wall paper.
Guilford department Store.
Blaylock & White, Bicycles.
Shrier, the exclusive shoe dealer.
R. L. Woodard, hardware.
Cox-Ferree-Co., dry goods.
Greensboro Ice and Coal Co.
Dr. Wm H Brooks, physician.
Howard Gardner, druggist.
Dr J E Wyche, dentist.
O D Boycott, building supplies.
W B Farrar & Son, jewelers.
Dr G W Whitsett, dentist.
L B Lindau, groceries.
Odell Hardware Co., heaters.
Gaston W Ward, druggist.
C E Holton, drugs.
B L Rubin, the tailor.
Cunningham Bros., coal and wood.
Richardson & Farris, drugs.
S L Alderman, photograper.
Bynum, Bynum & Taylor, lawyers.
Dr J T Johnson, oculist.
Dr W P Beall, physician.
J W Scott & Co., fine teas.
Greensboro Industrial and Immigration Association.
J. A. Byrd, barber.
Jos. J. Stone, job printer.
S. H. Boyd & Co., insurance.
Fishblate-Katz-Rankin Co., clothing
Sample Brown Mercantile Co., shoes.
Vuncanon & Co., groceries.
W. G. Mebane & Co., tobacco.
R. E. Andrews, painting and graining.
People's Five Cents Savings Bank.
W. B. Beacham, architect and builder.
G W St Sing, blacksmithing
Matthews, Chisholm & Stroud, art clothiers and gents' furnishers.
Greensboro Sash and Blind Co., building material.
J. R. McDuffie, new china store.
J. Henry Phipps, groceryman.
Troxler Bros, country produce.
O F Pearce, tobacco and cigars.
Dr J H Wheeler, dentist.

CURED OF Rheumatism.

Coxville, Pitt Co., N. C., Apr. 7, '97

MRS. JOE PERSON:

When you were here in July, 1893, I was suffering with Rheumatism. I had to walk with a stick. You advised me to try your Remedy. I took five bottles. It made a cure of me.

Yours truly,
MRS. W. S. ROACH.

FOR SALE BY

Howard Gardner,

Corner Opposite Postoffice.

For Christmas

A Hand Camera is a nice present for a lady or gentleman, boy or girl.

I have just received a new lot to sell at from $2.50 to $6.00. The

"Premo V."

is the best $5 camera on the market; call and see it.

Will be in my **New Gallery after Christmas.**

Alderman,

Photographer.

A Law Abiding Community.

This was an exceptionally quiet Christmas in police circles. There were only two cases of drunk and disorderly before Mayor Nelson, both of which were disposed of in time to allow part of the holiday at home. There was one fight, in which no serious damage was done beyond temporary facial disfigurement. Altogether this was a very law abiding community for the season.

A CANNON EXPLODES.

Twenty Boys in Asheville, on a Christmsa Frolic, Badly Injured.

A special of the 25th to the Charlotte Observer says:

This morning half a hundred or more boys of the West End went to a hill just west of town, intending to celebrate Christmas by firing a cannon.

When the cannon had been fired once, Joseph Finched picked up a can of powder, intending to reload the cannon without its having been swabbed.

As soon as the powder struck the hot gun, the cannon exploded, hurling the boys 30 or 40 feet.

A terrible scene followed. The boys' clothes caught fire, and the suffering victims, with faces blackened and eyes blinded, ran aimlessly about the hill, falling and rising, only to fall again, because unable to see in which direction they were running.

The boys who were not hurt ran to their aid and extinguished the burning clothes, but for which several must have been burned fatally.

In several instances the boys clothes were either burned or torn entirely off by the explosion. Pieces of clothing were afterwards found burning in trees 50 feet away.

A house near by was improvised into a hospital and the patients were soon attended by physicians. All told, twenty men and boys were hurt more or less seriously.

It is feared the injuries of some may prove fatal, but if they should live, several will probably lose their eyesight.

The most seriously injured are Jos. Finch, Edward Miller, John Ingle, Barton Means, Clarence Ledford, Vernon Sentell, Chas. Earwood, Eugene Wynne, Hay Eaton, D. Bennett, Dexter Aldrich, John Powell, B. L. Gowan, Henry McIntyre, Buck Trivett, Dell Bishop, George Eaton, J. E. Hamilton, James Warren, Frank Pratter.

The porch and hall of the house was soon filled with anguished relatives, and the scene was pitiful. Jos. Finch had his nose and mouth torn out of all shape, and he is probably blinded.

Clarence Ledford, who stood near the cannon when the powder was ignited, was thrown more than 50 feet. His clothing was burned and torn entirely off, and a part of the skin on the forehead burned loose.

Several others will probably lose their sight or be disfigured for life.

Many compliments are paid Chief Justice Faircloth for the stand he took in the matter of the railway commission. Prominent men say he stood for law and order and for good conservatism.

The True Remedy.

W. M. Repine, editor Tiskilwa, Ill., "Chief," says: "We won't keep house without Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, coughs and colds. Experimented with many others, but never got the true remedy until we used Dr. King's New Discovery. No other remedy can take its place in our home as in it we have a certain and sure cure for coughs, colds, whooping cough, etc." It is idle to experiment with other remedies, even if they are urged on you as just as good as Dr. King's New Discovery. They are not as good, because this remedy has a record of cures and besides is guaranteed. It never fails to satisfy. Trial bottles free at C. E. Holton's drug store.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

Jim Oiler, of Winston, spent yesterday in the city.

Jos. J. Stone and wife spent Sunday in Charlotte.

George Phillips is spending a few days in Winston.

Will Roberts, of Winston, spent the day here yesterday.

W. H. Wood, of Winston, spent last night in the city.

Col. Osborn went away on the Raleigh train this morning.

Mrs. Stone and her son, Whit, spent Christmas in High Point.

Prof. G. W. Whitsett, of Whitsett Institute, was in the city last night.

B. Galloway and J. B. Munson, of Raleigh, were at the Benbow this morning.

Dr. W. H. Wheeler, a prominent politician of Winston, was in the city today.

Mr. Boshamer, a prominent citizen of Statesville, passed through on the east bound train this morning.

John R. Jones, of Carbonton, spent last night in the city and returned home on the noon train.

Mrs. Junius Daniel and Mrs. J. J. Long, of Henderson, are visiting Mrs. T. B. Yuille, on North Green street.

J. L. Ramsey, of Ralegh, editor of the Progressive Farmer and secretary to the agricultural commission, took breakfast at the Benbow.

J. R. McClamroch came home from Carthage to spent Christmas, but will return this week to complete his job in the new hotel there.

Ernest Carr passed through this morning from Trinity, where he spent Christmas with relatives. He was returning to Raleigh to his post of duty there.

Calvin A. Rayle, of Westfield, Ind., who has been visiting relatives in the city the past few days, left on the noon train for Guilford College to visit relatives, friends and his old home place. He will spend some four weeks in this section before returning to his western home.

Richard H. Crawford went to Caswell county today. He carried a gun along and said he was going dear hunting. He didn't spell it that way, in fact he didn't say how to spell it; but we take it that he would come nearer catching that kind than he would killing the other kind.

"My, that made me jump!" is such a common expression, and it comes from such a common cause—poor blood and from starved nerves.

Why suffer the tormenting terror of nervousness, when you could be permanently cured by

Johnston's Sarsaparilla

QUART BOTTLE.

It acts upon the blood more healthfully and speedily than any other blood purifier.

Williams, Davis, Brooks & Co., Detroit, Mich.

Price, $1 for a quart bottle at any druggist.

TRADE SUPPLIED BY

Merchant's Grocery Co'py

It is Generally Believed That There is No Business

Done Among the Merchants From Christmas

To the First of January,

This is not true in the strictest sense. We done business last December this time; and we are going to make an effort to do more business this week than we did in the same week last year.

The Sampson and Cast Iron Unlaundried,

are the best 50c., Shirts that we have ever been able to get hold of. We have 25 doz in stock, sizes 14 to 18. We will sell them until they are gone 75c for two.

Matthews, Chisholm & Stroud,

Don't be startled, Watch this space for prices on Clothing.

Our Loss is Your Gain.

We have today placed on our Job Counter One Hundred and Twenty-Eight Pairs of the Celebrated Zeigler Brothers Fine Shoes for Ladies.

These Shoes are Fine Stock

But just a little off in style, being last Seasons goods. D. and E. Widths.

These run in sizes from 2 1-2 to 4 1-2. We Shall sell them while they last at just Half Price. Call and see them.

Johnson & Dorsett

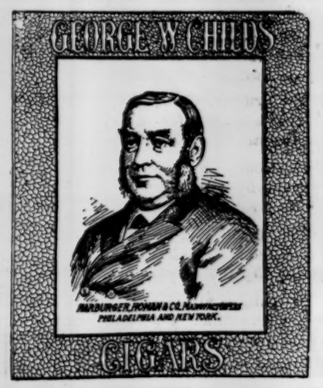
206-208 South Elm Street.

A Nice Christmas Present

For a Man,

Would Be a Box of

Geo W Childs Cigars



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RESIDENCE 404 ASHEBORO ST.
Office Hours 11:30 to 1 and 3 to 4:30.

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DENTIST.

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Anybody Can Fit

a wooden model of standard proportions, but it requires an experienced tailor to fit the living man in the way he should be fitted. The first order that you give me will prove a personal recommendation to you of the highest sort, and each succeeding order is a strong endorsement of what has gone before.

E. W. HATCHETT,

Tailor.

358 1-2 South Elm St., Piedmont House.

Special Attention given to Cleaning, Pressing and Repairing. First-class work Guaranteed.

BRIEF LOCAL MATTERS.

A. P. Cone has lost a valuable dog. See penny column.

Jeff. D. Smith, of Mt. Airy, is in the city visiting his mother.

Kent Sheppard, of Winston, was in the city yesterday.

Church conference of Baptist church will be held Wednesday night.

M. Vuncanon is almost on the sick list, suffering with a severe cold.

They are taking stock at Odell's this week. Will be open next week.

Miss Bertha Edgerton, of Guilford College, was in the city today.

The Carnival will be unique, and very interesting. Don't fail to go.

The "Lost Bride" will be found at the Academy of Music tomorrow night.

Miss Lizzie Leigh Dick entertains a party of friends at dinner this evening.

Joseph J. and Mr. S. Stone, spent yesterday in Charlotte returning last night.

See the cake-walk at the Carnival. It will be rich. There will be good music too.

The drug store of Richardson & Fariss is closed for the purpose of taking stock.

Dr. Henry Louis Smith and wife, of Davidson College, are in the city visiting relatives.

Dr. Dred Peacock, president of Greensboro Female College, returned to the city today.

Is business all over for 1897? Matthews, Chishlom & Stroud think not. Read their ad today.

Greek O. Andrews, of the Press-Visitor returned to Raleigh on the noon train todap.

Jap Jordan, of Gulf, who has been spending several days in the city, returned home today.

The german on Friday night is characterized as a brilliant success by those who were present.

Dr. Benbow returned to the city yesterday over the Cape Fear and Yadkin Valley Railway.

Miss Emma Norwood, of Waynesville, is spending the holidays with Miss Mary Lu Brodrick.

Miss Nannie Lehman, of Winston, spent the afternoon in the city visiting her cousin, Miss Etta Rayle.

J. G. Foushee, of the Durham and Charlotte Railway, is spending a few days here with his family.

A new and beautiful '98 calendar has been added to our sanctum by McClamroch Bros., the plasterers.

Jim Wiley and Pete Thompson, of Winston, were in the city today. They told a Telegram man they were going hunting.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland H. Hayes, of Pittsboro, spent last night in the city en route to Mocksville to visit Mrs. Hayes' old home.

Dr. and Mrs. Brooks, of Durham, who have been visiting their son, Mr. A. L. Brooks, returned home today on thenoon train.

The advertising space of J. W. Scott & Co. today, contains a card of thanks to their many customers for valued patronage.

Christmas dinner at The Allen is spoken of in terms of the highest praise by those who were fortunate enough to dine there.

Even in the jolly festivities of the Christmas holidays the people are not forgetful of The Telegram. They are still subscribing.

We are informed from a reliable source that telephone connection between Greensboro and Danville will be completed this week.

J. F. Teague. of Staley, was in the city today returning home from a trip to Virginia. He made a pleasant call at The Telegram office.

Now that the festive horn-blower has ceased his hideous racket, let us all get down to business and prepare for the opening of a new year.

The Telegram is gratified to learn that Judge J. G. Bynum, who has been sick for two or three weeks is much improved, and we hope very soon to see him out strong and well again.

All who contemplate turning a new leaf for 1898 should begin to turn it now. It is sometimes hard to turn a new leaf in one day, even if the Keeley treatment is taken into the bargain.

You may find the "Lost Bride" by going to the Academy tomorrow night Get your seats checked off at once. The house will be full and you will regret it if you fail to attend.

L. B. Lindau takes occasion in his large space on the second page today to thank his customers for their liberal patronage, and to express wishes for a joyous and happy new year.

Clophas R. Allen, of Chapel Hill, will deliver a lecture at the court house on Tuesday, December 28, 1897, at 7:30 o'clock. Subject: "The Superiority of Christianity." Admission free. Mr. Allen comes highly recommended.

The boarders of Mrs. W. A. Sharp presented her with a nice China service for a Christmas present, of which the ever accommodating landlady is very grateful, and extends to each individual boarder her best wishes for their future prosperity and happiness.

The Telegram returns thanks to Prof. Bandy for literature on the road question. It is especially gratifying to see an article on the road improvement in N. C. written by Prof. J. A. Hoknea and published by the U. S. Department of Agriculture.

A hunting party composed of Mayor Nelson, Messrs. R. W. and A. F. Brooks, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Jordan and others left at noon today for the hunting club's grounds at Manchester for a little holiday sport chasing foxes. The Telegram's best wishes for a successful hunt follow them.

William Jennings, who was reported to have been with Henry Jackson the night he was struck by the train, called today to say that the report was an error, that he was not with Jackson that night and was not drunk as stated. We make this statement at Mr. Jennings' request.

Notice to Shippers.

On and after December 27, 1897, the Southern freight depot will close at 5:00 p. m. No freight will be received or delivered after that hour until further notice.

Henry Jackson Dead.

Henry Jackson, who was run over by a train beyond the coal chute, as told in Friday's Telegram, died on Saturday as a result of his injuries. He never rallied from the effects of the shock, and there was small chance for recovery from the beginning.

Ernest Carr a Hustler.

The Telegram is glad to learn of the success of Ernest Carr, a Greensboro boy, as manager of the Raleigh Times. He is proving to be a hustler with a cap H. In only a few weeks he has rolled up over three hundred new subscribers for his paper. Go it Ernest in earnest, and our best wishes go with you and the interests you represent.

A Merry Party.

On the northbound local last night was a party of Christmas takers that wanted all the world to know that it was the season of rejoicing. They had taken possession of the first-class smoker, along with a jug of the pure article, and every man that passed by the door had to join the festivities or dance a jig. One of the hilarious party had a plum pudding in his pocket which he passed around for "dessert" each time.

A Handsome Present.

That was a handsome present given by the employees of Mr. H. H. Cartland's tailoring establishment to Mr. H. Jacobs, their foreman, in the shape of a silver tea service. It carries with it strong evidence of the esteem in which Mr. Jacobs is held by his associates and co-laborers in business. We congratulate Mr. Jacobs, well knowing that he deserves, in the highest sense, thistoken of regard.

A Pleasure Trip.

We understand that Rev. Robt. E. Caldwell, of Winston, Dr. E. A. Alderman, of the University, Rev. Dr. P. H. Hoge, of Wilmington and Mr. Jno. Caldwell, of Arkansas, and a number of others have booked passage on the Red Star Line for a tour through Southern Europe, the Holy Land, Egypt and the Nile.

They will sail about the first of February and will be gone about six months.

Evangelist Lee Preached.

Rev. Dr. Carraway preached at West Market Street church yesterday morning, but was too unwell to fill his appointment at Centenary last night. Rev. J. W. Lee preached in his stead, delivering a strong and forcible sermon in his own inimitable and impressive style. Owing to the inclement weather there was only a small congregation present, but those who braved the cold and mud were well paid for going.

Our Thanks.

The management desires at this time, as we near the close of the year eighteen hundred and ninety-seven, to extend its sincere thanks to the patrons and friends of The Telegram for the support they have given the paper.

We have endeavored to give our readers an up-to-date paper, being the first and only newspaper in Greensboro giving its patrons a telegraphic news service. This, combined with the popular price of the paper, gives our business men an advertising medium second to none. We have received a liberal share of patronage for which, again, we thank you, and shall strive to merit a continuance of the same.

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The Lucky Men.

John G. Broadnax was the lucky man at the raffle of the diamond ring at the Tom Rice Jewelry company on Saturday night. The ring was valued at $125 and eleven cents, we are informed, secured the lucky number that won the prize.

Gilbert Foraker won the gold watch raffled at West's Saturday night. In the first throw there was a tie between Preston Carter and Gilbert Foraker. The tie was thrown off and Foraker won the watch.

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d-16-1m W. H. Dailey

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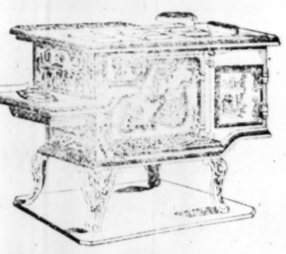

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